

Our Case No. 10466-127 P2548P1C8

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	· ·
Baker et al.)
Serial No. 09/943,664) Examiner O'Hara)
Filing Date: 8/30/2001) Group Art Unit No. 1646
For SECRETED AND TRANSMEMBRANE POLYPEPTIDES AND NUCLEIC ACIDS ENCODING THE SAME)))

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 - MS Non-Fee Amendment Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 24, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks / Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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